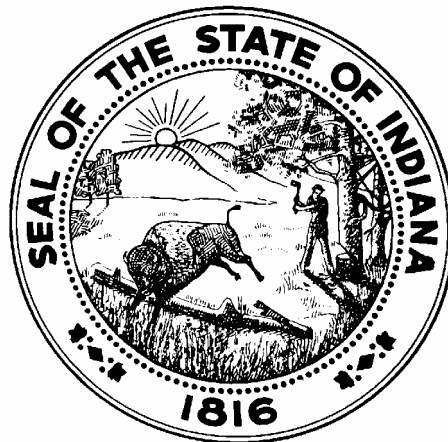


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EXAMINATION REPORT  
OF

STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION  
LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 168  
SYRACUSE, INDIANA

January 1, 2002 to December 31, 2002





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## OFFICIALS

<u>Office</u>	<u>Official</u>	<u>Term</u>
Chairman, Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commission	Mr. Gary A. Gibson Mr. Gerald Coleman	01-13-97 to 01-05-02 01-06-02 to 01-03-05
Branch Manager	Mrs. Donealda M. Grzegorzewski Mrs. Elizabeth Morgan	01-01-02 to 10-06-02 10-07-02 to 12-31-03



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## INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

TO: THE OFFICIALS OF THE STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION

We have examined the Schedule of Collections and Distributions of the State Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commission License Branch Number 168 (Branch) for the period of January 1, 2002, to December 31, 2002. The Branch's management is responsible for the schedule. Our responsibility is to express an opinion based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the Schedule of Collections and Distributions and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the schedule referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the cash transactions of the Branch for the year ended December 31, 2002, based on the criteria set forth in the uniform compliance guidelines established by the Indiana State Board of Accounts.

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November 18, 2003

STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION  
LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 168  
SYRACUSE, INDIANA  
SCHEDULE OF COLLECTIONS AND DISTRIBUTIONS  
January 1, 2002 to December 31, 2002

	<u>Amount</u>
Collections:	
Registrations	\$ 1,850,091
Titles	442,850
Drivers Licenses	96,289
Watercraft	257,117
Miscellaneous	<u>550</u>
Total	<u><u>\$ 2,646,897</u></u>
Distributions:	
State Fees	\$ 1,103,245
County Tax	1,257,936
Commission Fees	<u>285,716</u>
Total	<u><u>\$ 2,646,897</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the Schedule.

STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION  
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NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF COLLECTIONS AND DISTRIBUTIONS

Note 1. Introduction

The Motor Vehicles Commission was created to manage the motor vehicle license branches. The Bureau of Motor Vehicles is a separate state agency which provides support services to the Commission controlled license branches. The license branches collect fees which fund the Motor Vehicles Commission. The license branches collect and forward county taxes (excise tax, wheel tax, and surtax) and state fees. The Commission has one contractual branch that is administered by an individual contractor according to Bureau policies. The Commission has developed a mobile license branch to serve the need of CDL license issuance and other special needs as they arise.

Note 2. Collections and Distributions

Each branch collects fees and taxes when vehicle and watercraft registrations, titles and drivers licenses are sold. Fees are uniform throughout the state. The following taxes are collected by the branches: excise tax, surtax, wheel tax, and use tax.

The total daily collections are deposited to a single bank account. From this account the collections are distributed to separate bank accounts which are not controlled by the license branch and belong to the state, county and Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commission.

Note 3. Banking System

The Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commission has entered into an agreement with Bank One for a cash concentration system. The system utilizes a series of individual non-interest bearing accounts (clearing accounts) from which all fees and taxes are transferred.

STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION  
 LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 168  
 SYRACUSE, INDIANA  
 STATISTICAL INFORMATION  
 January 1, 2002 to December 31, 2002

<u>Transactions Processed</u>	<u>Quantity</u>
Vehicle Registrations:	
Passenger	10,444
Motorcycle	395
RV (Housecar)	345
Light Truck	4,545
Other Truck	203
Farm Truck	116
Tractor	40
Trailer	3,011
Semi-Trailer	103
School And Church Bus	4
Other Bus	2
Other	34
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Total Vehicle Registrations	<u>19,242</u>
Drivers Licenses And Permits:	
Drivers Licenses/Learners Permits	4,303
CDL Licenses/CDL Permits	177
Placards	471
Other	2,741
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Total Drivers Licenses And Permits	<u>7,692</u>
Titles:	
Vehicles	7,008
Watercraft	667
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Total Titles	<u>7,675</u>
Total Watercraft Registrations	<u>3,089</u>



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EXIT CONFERENCE

The contents of this report were discussed on November 18, 2003, with Mrs. Elizabeth Morgan, Branch Manager. Our examination disclosed no material items that warrant comment at this time.